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WILTON MAN ARRESTED FOR EXPOSURE AT TRUMBULL MALL

On May 22, 2018, Trumbull Police arrested a Wilton man on Public Indecency charges stemming from an incident that occurred on March 24th. The man, Joseph Bear, 57, of Indian Hill Rd., turned himself in at the Trumbull Police Department on an outstanding warrant.

A warrant was issued for Bear after police received a complaint from a local teen who stated that while shopping with a friend at Target in the Trumbull Mall, Bear exposed his buttocks to them. Video surveillance captured the incident.

Bear returned to the store a second time on April 6th and was again acting suspiciously and attempting to expose his buttocks to shoppers. It was during this incident that Trumbull Police were able to positively identify Bear and connect him to the March 24th incident.

Bear was charged with Public Indecency and Risk of Injury to a Child and held on \$50,000.00 bond. He is scheduled to appear in court on June 4, 2018.

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